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Dear Dr. White:

I am writing on behalf of the 69 families of T.E.A.C.H. (Toxic Environment Affects Children's Health). Our children were a large part of the Toms River Childhood Cancer Cluster. We have been watching and waiting for years for the TOXICOLOGY AND CARCINOGENESIS STYRENE-ACRYLONITRILE TRIMER (SAN TRIMER) study to be completed, with the hope that they could provide us with some insight into why there was so much childhood cancer in our community.

Our children were the original SAN trimer "experiment". They ingested it with their water—some in utero, others in infancy, all of them before the completion of adolescence, none of them having any idea of what they were exposed to. This cannot be allowed to happen to any children again. We hope that the results of this testing will lead to more proactive protection, and help safeguard our greatest resource—our young children.

Thank you

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